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SUBJECT:GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR AMBASSADORS

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1. REFS A AND B GIVE DETAILS WHICH HAVE GOVERNED PREPARATION HERE OF DRAFT STATEMENTS OF GOALS AND TASKS FOR EACH AMBASSADOR. DRAFT TEXT FOLLOWS BELOW FOR YOUR COMMENT. PLEASE RESPOND ASAP, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 6 IN ANY EVENT.

2. BEGIN TEXT:GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR AMBASSADOR- LUXEMBOURG

I. MAINTAIN CLOSE POLITICAL, DEFENSE AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS

--ENHANCE THE EXCELLENT BILATERAL RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES THROUGH FRANK AND FULL CONSULTATIONS ON ISSUES
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OF MUTUAL INTEREST AFFECTING NOT ONLY THE U.S. AND LUXEMBOURG, BUT THE WESTERN INDUSTRIAL DEMOCRACIES AS A WHOLE.

--OBTAIN LUXEMBOURG'S SUPPORT FOR U.S. POLICIES, WITHOUT FORCING LUXEMBOURG TO CHOOSE UNILATERALLY BETWEEN THE U.S. AND ITS EUROPEAN PARTNERS IN THE COMMON MARKET.

--OBTAIN LUXEMBOURG'S SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS EFFORTS, INCLUDING OUR OWN HUMAN RIGHTS POLICIES, AND CONSULT CLOSELY WITH THEM BECAUSE OF THEIR EXEMPLARY RECORD IN THE HUMAN RIGHTS FIELD.

--OBTAIN LUXEMBOURG'S SUPPORT FOR U.S. INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICIES, ESPECIALLY IN THE FIELDS OF TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, INVESTMENT, FINANCE AND ENERGY, INCLUDING NUCLEAR ENERGY ISSUES SUCH AS NON-PROLIFERATION.

--PROMOTE ACTIVELY OUR COMMERCIAL OBJECTIVES IN VIEW OF THE SIGNIFICANT U.S. CAPITAL INVESTMENT IN LUXEMBOURG THROUGH THE VEHICLE OF OUR COUNTRY COMMERCIAL PROGRAM (CCP).

--SEEK TO FURTHER DEVELOP LUXEMBOURG'S POSITIVE PERCEPTION AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE U.S. AND OUR POLICIES AND ENCOURAGE CULTURAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND TECHNOLOGICAL EXCHANGE.
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